Dear Bud,

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We're making haste slowly on Howard Hunt's secret trip to Madrid. We have dates, hotel, and other detail, but verification is proving extremely difficult because he appears to have taken great care in covering his tracks with tickets to other places and bogus travel document. Wonder if you can ask your client—if you think! it proper—whether Hunt ever used the name of B. Howard Hunter? If the answer is afformative, pls phone me collect—Madrid 250 51 49; or, if it's easier for you, phone the Washington Post, and ask either for John Hanrahan or Lee Lescaze and tell them you have message for me. Whunt's visit to Spain looms highly significant, hence my yell for help.

I wish I could go to the conference on the 10th anniversary of JFK's assassination, but I can't afford the trip at this time. If you far my flant fort, Hilly ship cars of my mount food.

Have you made any progress on Ray, his passport and di Tomaso (?)? Tad Szulcz should be back in Washington by now. I spoke to him on the phone when he was in Parks and he reiterated his desire to help you with track the man.

If you talk to Billings, tell him he is not so busy that he cannot answer my last letter.

Look forward to hearing from you.

Bestra regards

Miguel Acoca

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